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Mike –

EPA has prepared the Record of Decision (ROD) for the Ballard Mine Site (attached). The purpose of this email is to transmit the ROD, and to offer the State an opportunity to concur with the recommended remedy. I am transmitting this request to the State through you, as you are the State's designated point of contact for this project per the 2009 AOC. I am requesting a response within two weeks, consistent with EPA Region 10 guidance on procedures for remedy selection. The State's response to this request will be included as an appendix to the ROD, and then routed for signature.

Following issuance of the ROD, the next immediate steps will focus on CD negotiations and remedial design. As a reminder, we are waiting for a response to EPA's May 13, 2019 letter (attached) regarding State participation in these activities.

If you have any questions regarding this matter, please give me a call.

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